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Judge Joseph Farnan  
UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT  
824 Market Street, 5th Floor  
Wilmington, Delaware 19801

Re: In Re Grace & Company, Debtor  
Chapter 11 Case No.: 01-01139 (JJF) Motion No. 159  
Date of Hearing: July 19, 2001, 12:00 p.m.

Dear Judge Farnan:

Pursuant to Delaware Local Bankruptcy Rule No. 9013-1(H), Rosemarie S. Lewis, Esq., as litigation counsel for W.R. Grace & Company in Los Angeles, California hereby respectfully requests to appear telephonically at the hearing set in the afore-referenced matter. Oral argument will be made on behalf of W.R. Grace & Company by and through its local counsel of record, the Law Firm of Kirkland & Ellis and/or the Law Firm of Pachulski, Stang, Ziehl, Young & Jones, P.C.

Respectfully submitted,

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